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RE: Clinimetrics PA #7 - Urgent need for your review

Bristow:

Pursuant to the Master Services Agreement, the rate increase from 2002 to 2003 can't exceed the most recent year-toyear percentage increase in the Consumer Price Index for All Urban Consumers (Section 3.02). Per the most recent update on the Bureau of Labor Statistics website, the increase between 2001 and 2002 was only 2.6% (versus the ~5% increase in the initial proposal from Clinimetrics).

I have spoken with Bernie Linner at Clinimetrics who is in the process of revising the 2003 rates accordingly and revising their proposal. As soon as it is received (expected this afternoon), I will provide to you in order to update the project agreement. Please let me know if any questions.

Thanks. Valerie

----Original Message---

From:

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Subject:

Clinimetrics PA #7 - Urgent need for your review

Importance: High

Dear All.

Attached is a project agreement for Clinimetrics to provide site monitoring services on a study set to begin on the 19th. Please review and provide your comments as soon as possible. We need to get this signed this week.

We apologize for the short notice/need for turnaround on this.

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p.s. another project agreement (this one with MDS for the conduct of the study) will be coming shortly - same turnaround issues.

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